

Hello 8th Grade Parents!!

We have some important dates for 8th graders coming up in the new year!

**January 10, 2025 - High School Preview Day at Holbrook Middle School**

9:50-10:35 - Hampden Academy Presentation and Q&A

10:40-11:25 - Bangor High School Presentation and Q&A

11:30-12:15 - Brewer High School Presentation and Q&A

12:15 - 1:00 - 8th Grade Recess/Lunch

1:00 - 1:45 - Maine School of Science and Mathematics Presentation and Q&A

1:50 - 2:35 - John Bapst Memorial HS Presentation and Q&A

Presentations will be in the gym and parents are invited to attend as many or few presentations as they like. This is a great time to get information and ask any questions you may have as Step Up Days are for students only.

**February 5, 2025** - Brewer High School Step Up Day

**February 7, 2025** - John Bapst Memorial High School Step Up Day

**February 11, 2025** - John Bapst Memorial High School Family Information Night (Time: TBA)

In lieu of Step Up Day, Bangor High School and Hampden Academy will be hosting individual whole day tours to 8th graders where they will shadow a current high school student with similar interests. Both schools are looking at scheduling these opportunities in February and March. I will send out more information and how to schedule a tour as it becomes available.

Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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